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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

In re Application of: TORU MAEDA

Application No.: 09/277,172

For: IMAGE COMMUNICATION APPARATUS AND METHOD

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated April 22, 2003, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 66-68, 70-74, and 89.

The items checked below are appropriate.

1. X Applicant petitions under 35 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a three-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection. The \$950.00 extension fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 is submitted herewith.

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2.		Applicant petitions under 35 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an additionalmonth extension of time to respond to the final rejections. The additional \$ extension fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 is enclosed. A petition for amonth extension of time to take further action, together with the \$ extension fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, were submitted on
3.	X	Fee \$330.00
		Fee \$165.00 (Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.)
		X Enclosed
		Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)
		Charge to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 (One additional copy of this Notice enclosed herewith.)
4.	X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 that may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.
5.	X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.
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